

**Evaluation of Projects, and Adoption of Environmental Impact Reports and Negative Declarations (SSDA 40)**

The Superintendent shall determine whether any proposed construction project, including the construction, expansion, or alteration of school sites, is subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (“CEQA”). If a project is subject to CEQA, the Superintendent shall ensure that the District complies with CEQA in evaluating the project, and the District will follow the CEQA guidelines adopted by the California Secretary for Natural Resources in preparing and adopting environmental impact reports and negative declarations.

(Pub. Resources Code § 21082.)